



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

DOUNG, *et al.*

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For: *Devices and Methods for  
Biochip Multiplexing*

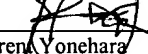
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated August 19, 2004 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 2-3, 5-9, 24-34, 36-41. Enclosed is our check in the amount of \$340.00 to cover the Notice of Appeal fee for a large entity.

Although Applicant does not believe any additional fees are required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any such fees, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Our Docket No. A-68718-3/RMS/RMK/SPL 463037-219).

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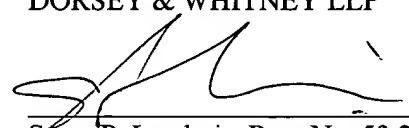
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